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Bar Hill Jubilee Fête

1st July 2017

1pm till late

Opening with the **Cambridgeshire Caledonian Pipe Band** at 1pm

In Arena 1: Dog Show and Agility •

In Arena 2: Helene Taylor Todd – School of Dance • Jezo Magical Act • School Choir • Belly Dancers • Boxing Demo •

Also: Helter Skelter • Zorbing • stalls for everyone • Hog Roast • and lots more •

Beer Festival – join us in the Social Club

Music from:

5pm – Acoustic Act
5.40pm – Beth D'aggi
6.20pm – Fluffy Wangers
8.20pm – Stingray
9.30pm – Rendition
11pm – Disco

— BAR HILL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION —

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The objectives of the association are to act as an intermediary between residents and other parties, to keep residents informed of matters of importance and recreation in and around the village, and to promote the interests of Bar Hill. Opinions expressed in this publication are not necessarily those of the Association. Anonymous letters will not be published, but names and addresses may be withheld. However, these may be made available should a written request be received. This is a private publication and may not be reproduced in any way without the prior permission of the Bar Hill Residents' Association Committee.

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EDITORIAL

There is no charge for Articles, What's On, For Sale or Lost and Found. These appear at the Editor's discretion. Please submit items by 15th of the month. [Items offered For Sale will be advertised in two consecutive editions, so please let the Editor know if the item(s) sell after the first time.] All items can be submitted electronically on disk or to bhneditor@yahoo.com *[a Word file is best, please]* or hard copy via Parish Council Office.

— THE MAPLE SURGERY —

Tel: **01954 780442**
www.mhmaple.co.uk

Out of Hours Emergencies call **111**
(Cambridgeshire and Peterborough 111 Service)

Surgery Opening times:
Monday to Friday 8.15am – 6.30pm

On the day appointments: bookable by phone at ***8.30am*** for the ***mornings*** and at ***1.30pm*** for ***afternoons***.

Midwife	Thursday	9.30am–12.30pm
Physiotherapist	Tuesday	1.00–4.30pm
Podiatrist	Wed. & Friday	8.45am–12 noon *and* 1.00–4.00pm
Orthoptist	2nd Tues/month	9.00am–12.30pm
Cambs Hearing Help	4th Tues/month	9.30–11.30am
Health Visitors *(based at Longstanton)*:		01954 207612
Well Child Clinics:	3rd Tues/month	1.00–2.30pm

at the Children's Centre, Bar Hill *(next to Primary School)*.

— BAR HILL HEALTH WALKS —

Free every Wednesday morning
Meet at Maple Surgery at 10.30am

Our walks are all weather *(in case of rain you will find us under the Church porch)*, free, and accessible to all, particularly those who are currently inactive.

Walks are 45–60 minutes long, and led by trained Volunteer Walk Leaders. Shorter walks may be available; contact Patricia or Josephine to discuss.

We meet locally after the walk for a hot drink and a chat. This is usually in the library, but may sometimes be at Costa, Tesco, or the Fox.

If this is your first walk please arrive 10 minutes early to complete a short health questionnaire. Copies are available on the PPG noticeboard in Maple Surgery, and at www.walkingforhealth.org.uk.

Contact: **Josephine Powell** T: 07901 558108; E: jopowell45@hotmail.com or **Patricia Daniels** T: 07917 874402; E: danielsoohn@btinternet.com.

— WANTED —

Bar Hill School Reception Class would like donations of artificial food for the children to use for educational purposes.

Please deliver to Jo Hall, 11 Almond Grove. T: **01954 780304**

HAVING PROBLEMS WITH COMPUTERS OR NEW TECHNOLOGY?

The solution is to *Learn IT* with *Laura*. Professional and personal support and training in your home.
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W: www.learnitwithlaura.co.uk

— NWR —
CONNECTING WOMEN WHO ARE INTERESTED IN EVERYTHING AND TALK ABOUT ANYTHING

NWR is a national women's organisation with members who enjoy lively conversations both serious and light hearted. It is for women of all ages who like to be informed and share ideas by actively participating in the content of meetings. We promote friendship and self-confidence for lively minded women. We invite you to join us. Come along to one of our meetings – you'd be very welcome.

8th June **Time Capsule** – what five items would you put into a time capsule to be opened in 100 years?

22nd June **History of Cosmetics** – research one of the cosmetic companies, when they were first used, any interesting facts, medicinal use etc.

6th July **BAR HILL IS 50!** As we celebrate our anniversary share your memories of the village. Why did you move here, has it lived up to expectations, community spirit, facilities etc.

The Bar Hill NWR group meets informally in members' homes on alternate Thursday evenings at 8pm. We pay an annual fee of £20.00 and just £1 per meeting to cover local costs. If you would like more information or someone to accompany you to a meeting, please don't hesitate to call Marie-The Last on **01954 780329** or Jackie Jackson on **01954 781613**.
NWR can also be found on www.nwr.org.uk.
Why not have a look!

BAR HILL COMMUNITY MARKET

Saturday 3rd June
Village Fête: 1st July
Saturday 2nd September
10.30am–2pm
In the Octagon CB23 8EH
— Entry is Free —

All profits go to community/charity projects.
Refreshments with **Cream Teas** *(June & September)*; also **BBQ** *(weather permitting)*.

If you wish to be part of the market please contact Karen Austen **01954 781085**.

e-mail: bar.hill.community.market@gmail.com
Facebook: Bar Hill Community Market

— 8 O'CLOCK CLUB —

We are a women's group that meets on the first Thursday of the month in the lounge at the school. We have a variety of speakers as well as an annual garden party, birthday party and Christmas meal.

1st June: Garden party to celebrate 50 years of the village – *members only*

6th July : Bob Chappell – Birds and Wildlife

[no meeting in August]

If you would like further information please phone **Barbara** on **01954 204171**, **Adela** on **01954 204265**, **Ann** on **01954 204687**, or come along to one of our meetings. We'd be very pleased to meet you.

— HAPPY HOURS —

Our Club meets most Mondays in the Octagon building of Bar Hill Church from 11am until 3pm, with coffee, tea and light lunches.
Our Summer lunch menu consists of salads *(cheese, salmon or the weekly special which could be ham, corn beef, pork pie or quiche)* or ploughman's lunch – all at £2 each.
Our aim is to provide friendship and companionship so why not come along and give us a try. You can have a good old natter, a game or two, or enjoy various other activities.
We would welcome new members.

Coming up in June

5th: Open Day – Celebrating Bar Hill's 50th Anniversary. A free event with a buffet from 12–3pm.
12th: Play Your Cards Right.
19th: 60s Theme Party.
26th: Antiques of the Future.
3rd: (July) Charades.

Anne Plumb, 01954 780364

— RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION A.G.M. —

This will be held on **6th June at 8pm** in the **Parish Council Offices.**
Everyone is welcome. Come along and get involved in decisions about the future of Bar Hill.

— BAR HILL SCHOOL —

PTA Dates for the Diary:

Fri. 9th June – **PTA Fun Day** on the school green from 3.30pm – ***stalls, inflatables, zorbing, trampolines, choir, street dance and more.***

Sat. 15th July – Year 6 Leavers Prom;

Fri. 21st July – End of Year School Disco.

The PTA is always looking for new members; if you would like more information on joining, or on any event, please e-mail em.spenceley@hotmail.co.uk.

...did you know...
there are more than 10,000 varieties of tomatoes?

— HEALTH AND WELLBEING CLUB —

Normally held on the second Tuesday of the month between 2–4pm in Tesco Community Room, the group focuses on all aspects of promoting and maintaining good health in every area.
We start with a chair based exercise activity followed by advice from one of Tesco's departments, such as opticians, Nutricentre, which can include samples of healthy food and demonstrations.
This is a unique and friendly group and is an ideal place to meet new people.
Please note there will be **no meeting** in June.
For further information, contact Wendy Arrowsmith on **01954 781381** or Sue Kenchington on **01954 780260**.

— BAR HILL BOOK CLUB —

Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 27th June at 7pm** in the **Fox, Bar Hill.**
Please join our friendly group, we offer a lovely welcome, good company and great book choices.
Contact: sheilafarrar@hotmail.co.uk Tel: 07920 558319

— LETTER —

Dear Editor

I was appalled at how few residents attended the Annual Parish Meeting on 11th May. This is a meeting at which all residents and groups can express their views on village affairs. Several of those attending have been doing so for many years; they are getting older and younger residents will shortly be required to take their place.

Why not join the Residents' Association Committee (there are always vacancies)? I appreciate that, in families, both parents may work, but this was the case when I was new to the village and there were as many, if not more, village groups in which to take an active part. Personally, I worked twelve-hour shifts as a nurse but still wanted to be involved in village life in any way I could, however small.

Fifty years ago Bar Hill grew out of the efforts of a few young people to create a village community. It was their village and now is the opportunity to take their achievements into the next half-century.

Jo Hall

— E.G.M. —
BAR HILL PRESCHOOL

This will take place on **8th June at 8pm** at **Bar Hill Preschool** in the **Village Hall**. The local community is cordially invited to step in and volunteer to become a member of the committee to ensure the longevity of Bar Hill Preschool.

GIRLS – WANT TO PLAY FOOTBALL?

Bar Hill Colts FC are looking to raise another girls-only team or teams.

- Is your daughter interested in playing football?
- Does she want to have fun?
- Do you want to see your daughter develop her social skills?
- Would you like to be part of our Charter Standard Community Club?

We want to hear from you! Please contact:

- **Kate Starling**, Secretary, Bar Hill Colts FC, E: kate.starling@hotmail.com or T: **07949 784940**.
- **Jairo Marin**: E: jairo@tesco.net or T: **07712 121525**.

HALLMARK HOTEL, BAR HILL
— JOB VACANCIES —

We are currently looking to recruit the following:

- Lounge assistants – *flexible hours including 9.30am–2.30pm and 6–10pm. Evening and weekend shifts available;*
- Reception Shift leader – *flexible hours*
- Senior Sous Chef
- Food & Beverage assistant – *flexible hours*
- Kitchen Porter – *flexible hours*

Previous experience preferred. Competitive rates of pay. Company benefits.

For further information or to apply, please e-mail your CV to: Cambridge.admin@hallmarkhotels.co.uk.

VOICES4CHOICES – A CHANCE TO SHAPE YOUR CARE AND SUPPORT

Do you or someone you care for have a disability or long term health condition and receiving support such as home care, a support worker, day services or respite care? Maybe you are starting to feel as though you might need some help in the future but are not sure about your options and how you go about getting the help that you need?

A Direct Payment is one way to fund care and support that you or someone that you care for needs. It is money from the council that aims to give you more **flexibility, choice** and **control**. For example, you could use the money to pay a friend or neighbour rather than use a care agency. If you would like to take more control of the care and support, you may find it helpful to come along to one of our four **Direct Payment Awareness Raising Events** across the county, planned for June and July.

Are you already in receipt of Direct Payments? If you have a story, good or bad, to share we'd love to learn from your experience. If you are already in receipt of Direct Payments and just want to learn a little more or have a chance to chat to a real person, then these events are also for you!

- Tuesday 20th June Huntingdon Library
- Thursday 29th June March Community Centre
- Thursday 6th July Owl Café, Sawston
- Thursday 13th July Ely Library

Each session will be from 2.30–4.30pm, are free, including reimbursement of travel expenses, and hot and cold drinks will be provided.

To find out more or to book into one of the events, get in touch with James or Leisha at Cambridgeshire Alliance for Independent Living (CAIL) on T: **0300 111 2301**; E: james@cambridgeshirealliance.org.uk; leisha@cambridgeshirealliance.org.uk.

Listen to James talking to Cambridge 105 about Voices4Choices and the work we do at CAIL – http://cambridge105.co.uk/phil-rowe-04-01-2017/.

SWAFFHAM BULBECK SUMMER THEATRE

is proud to present

Gilbert & Sullivan's comic masterpiece

'PRINCESS IDA'

in the wonderful **'Theatre in a Barn'** at Downing Farm, Swaffham Bulbeck, Cambridge CB25 0NW.

Wednesday **14th June** at **7.30pm – £8**; Thursday **15th June** at **7.30pm – £9**; Friday **16th June** at **7.30pm – £10**; Saturday **17th June** at **2.30pm – £7**, and **7.30pm – £10**.

Tickets are available by contacting Caille Peri on sbst.tickets@gmail.com or **07541 554845** or via our website: www.sbsummertheatre.com. For further information about the show please contact Ruth Dennis on **01638 730659**.

Synopsis

Princess Ida and Prince Hilarion were betrothed when they were babies. Twenty years have passed and the time has come for Hilarion to claim his bride. She, however, has other ideas and has set up a women's only university where men are not allowed. A feud between the two families occurs and there are threats of war if the Princess does not comply. Further complications arise when Hilarion and his two friends dress up as women and climb into the university. Love triumphs in the end as the families attack each other before coming to a peaceful solution.

— BAR HILL PARISH COUNCIL —

Sue Bell, Parish Clerk: 01954 780456
e-mail: bhillpc-1@btconnect.com.
Please note that the office is open to residents between **9am–11am Monday, Tuesday** and **Wednesday.**
Visit our website: www.barhill.org.uk for updates on local matters.

Annual Parish Meeting Notes

The Annual Meeting of the Parish, at which residents are invited to attend to hear what the Parish Council, District Council, County Council and community groups have been doing over the year was held on 11th May in The Octagon. The meeting was well supported by community groups with 20 reports received plus County and District Councillors and the committees of the Parish Council. Sadly there were very, very few members of the general public to hear these reports. These groups need the support of the wider community in order to carry on and future-proof the character of Bar Hill as a diverse and busy village. Bar Hill residents have the opportunity to enjoy a wide range of activities with all the clubs, Church and school, where many volunteers are dedicated to improving the quality of life for fellow residents. The cricket, football, and Colts teams all did well, and were well supported, but always looking for new members. The thriving Scouts and Girl Guide groups enjoyed an array of activities but some of these groups do need better facilities. Lots of groups meet at the Church, where holiday schemes, meals and drop in events regularly take place, and a warm welcome is extended to everyone. It is important that our community groups continue to grow and thrive – so don't hesitate to join in. The Bar Hill community welcomes everyone. The school had done extremely well with goods results academically and in sporting activities. We heard that it is looking for support in order to ensure our young people have every opportunity for development to reach their potential. They are looking at ways to raise money and seek practical help and support. The pre-school at the Village Hall is also looking for more committee members.

The Council is working on a number of capital projects following the sale of The Willows. A working party had been looking at enhancement of facilities for young people. Following a recent consultation event two youngsters joined the party to represent 10-15yrs to help guide Councillors on their needs. These are exciting times and we hope to have new equipment installed on the Village Green for use this summer.

Arrangements for capital works to stabilise the Hollytrees stream is underway and a significant level of works had been carried out following the tree survey in the Autumn to address the issue of tree/shrub and open space management. This included consideration of requests from residents where mature trees and self-sets now need attention.

Please do support your community and we look forward to seeing more of you at the meeting next year. Remember this is your opportunity to ask questions, get to know what is going on in the village and meet fellow residents. A copy of the meeting pack is available from the Council office. In the meantime we all have the celebrations of our 50th year to enjoy.

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— NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH —

Cold Callers

What doorstep traders say isn't always what they really mean:–

"You could do with having your driveway fixed." = *'There's nothing wrong with your drive but I could make a fortune here.'*

"Did you know your roof needs attention?" = *'You could hand over all your savings and never see me again.'*

Some doorstep traders might mislead you or, even worse, try to steal from you. **Saying NO is not impolite, it is your right.**

Here's what you could say: "Thanks, but I'd like to think about it. Bye!" Be safe, not sorry; don't be rushed into a decision.

Break-ins

There has been an increase in burglaries across South Cambs recently, with access gained at the rear of the property, often by breaking a window.

If at all possible:–

- secure side gates with a good lock;
- avoid keeping wheelie bins where they can be used to climb over a gate/fence;
- lock sheds so tools cannot be used for house break-in.
- lock doors and windows when you are out and at night (have keys concealed but available for your use in an emergency);
- consider window alarms (only £2 from Rachel.Carr@cambs.pnn.police.uk Tel.101);
- use lights and radio on timer switches to make your house appear occupied when you are out (its easy to forget to do this with lighter evenings);
- be a good neighbour and always investigate unusual noises (burglars rely on us not bothering).

Finally

Remember, don't leave items on display in your car – it doesn't take a thief long to smash a window and run.

Pam Vendy, NHW in Bar Hill

FOR SALE

A sturdy plastic/metal clothes rail in black and chrome. Height adjustable from 42–63", width 35"; 2 x 18" swing side arms; 4 wheels make it easy to move. Ideal for extra storage in the home or for car booting. **Only £5.**
T: 01954 780364; E: anne@rwp10.plus.com

BAR HILL BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

Wednesdays and **Friday** (term time)
9.45–11.15am in the **Octagon.**

Ordinary session price includes children's snacks, drink, craft, play and adult tea/coffee.
Under 1: £1.50; Over 1: £2.50; Family: £3.50.

THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION, — BAR HILL BRANCH —

The Royal British Legion Bar Hill meets on the 4th Thursday of each month in the meeting room of the Octagon from 7.30pm.

We are a small friendly group of like-minded people.

You don't need to have an Armed Forces background to join, just share a common cause of supporting our Service Community, now and for the rest of their lives.

— Bar Hill Church —

Bar Hill Church belongs to several denominations, including the Church of England, the United Reformed Church, the Methodist Church, the Baptist Union and the Society of Friends. The Minister is **Charles Mather**, who may be contacted on charlesmather20@yahoo.com or tel: 01954 277119. The church website is at www.barhillchurch.org.uk; the Facebook page is at https://facebook.com/barhillchurch and our Twitter account is @BarHillChurch.

SERVICES FOR JUNE

Everyone is welcome to attend our services as follows:

Sun. 4th	**10.00am** Holy Communion (Methodist)
	5.00pm Teatime Worship
Sun. 11th	**10.00am** All-Together Worship
Weds. 14th	**10.00am** Mid-Week Communion
Sun. 18th	**10.00am** Holy Communion (Reformed)
Weds. 21st	**3.15pm** Messy Church (in the Octagon)
Sun. 25th	**8.00am** Holy Communion
	10.00am Morning Worship
	6.30pm Reboot (Contemporary Worship)

Totzone and Kidzone take place during 10am services except during the All Together Worship Services.
10am services are followed by tea/coffee, and there is a Traidcraft stall selling a range of fairly traded products.

OLIVE TREE COFFEE MORNINGS

This is an oasis, a calm welcoming space and may be of help to those who have been challenged and broken by loss, loneliness, by bereavement or those finding life challenging.
Come for conversation or just enjoy the peace and quiet in a safe space. Refreshments will be available and also people who have been trained to listen.
The next Olive Tree Coffee mornings will be **Saturdays 17th June** and **15th July** at **10.30am** in the Octagon.

EVENT:

INTERNATIONAL PICNIC

on **Sun 18th June** in the Octagon from **3.00pm onwards. All are welcome!**
Please come and help us to celebrate all we have in common. We will provide some food and drinks but invite you to bring something for all to share. There will be games for anyone who wants to join in and lots of talk for those who don't! We look forward to seeing you and enjoying your company. For more information contact: Ginny.Markwick@barhillchurch.org.uk.

EVENT:

DAY OF PRAYER

on **Sat 3rd June** from **10.00am–4.00pm**
On this day the church will be open for prayer, reflection and meditation. We will be focusing on the theme of Hope for the world, our community, our village and ourselves. You are welcome to come and spend a few minutes or a few hours with us. Refreshments will be available in the Octagon during the Community Market and in the worship Hall during the afternoon.

Traidcraft Come and buy Fair Trade items from our stall after Sunday morning Service.

PRAYER FOR STREETS

Each month we pray for people in our streets. During **June** we will be praying for **Field View** and **Almond Grove.**
If residents have a particular prayer request for themselves or their family they are welcome to e-mail Elsa on elsa.mandley@barhillchrch.org.uk

— GROUPS FOR ADULTS —

ART GROUP

Whether you are a complete beginner or an experienced painter, this group will give you a warm welcome on Wednesday afternoons throughout the year from **1.30–4.00pm** in the Church.
Meetings are very informal, with occasional visits from tutors. If you are new to painting, materials are available to borrow to help you get started.
Contact **Jan Hewins** on **01954 201495.**

MUSIC GROUP

This group meets at 7.30pm most Friday evenings in the Church to practise the music for Sunday services. If you sing or play an instrument, you would be very welcome to join us. For further details, please contact Bob Chappell on bob.chappell@barhillchurch.org.uk.

COFFEE STOP

Every Wednesday from 10am–midday in the Bar Hill Library.
Coffee, tea and biscuits are served at a modest price.
A friendly meeting for all to chat with friends old and new.
Contact **Sue Kenchington** on **01954 780260.**

HOMEGROUPS

Would you like an opportunity to meet other Christians for Bible Study and Prayer? Our homegroups provide an informal but supportive environment. Our present theme is **"Faith in Pictures".**
For more information contact Elizabeth Burns: Elizabeth.burns@barhillchurch.org.uk.

KNIT & NATTER

Thursday afternoons from **1.15–3.30pm** in the Octagon.
Everyone is very welcome, whether to knit, or just to chat and meet new friends.
Contact **Sue Kenchington** on **01954 780260.**

BRING YOUR OWN CRAFT GROUP

The craft group is open to anyone who enjoys or would like to start knitting, crochet, card-making or any other creative crafts. We meet in the Octagon from 2.15–4.45pm one Saturday each month for a couple of hours chatting, crafting and enjoying a chance to unwind. Please bring your own craft activity and materials – refreshments are provided.
Next meeting: **Saturday 27th May.**
Contact **Wendy** on **01954 782041** for more details.

— Bar Hill Church —

—CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE —

KIDZONE AND YP

During services except the All Together Worship (2nd Sunday) children are given the opportunity to explore their faith in Kidzone and YP in the Octagon.
Totzone (4 years old and under) meets each week in the Meetings Room during the morning service.
On the second Sunday all ages meet together in the Worship Centre for our All Together Worship service.

— YOUNG PEOPLE —

REBOOT

(4th Sunday of the month)
This informal evening service, held from 6.30–8.00pm, is for adults and young people. It begins with cake, biscuits and drinks and uses contemporary music and format.

— FAMILIES —

For pre-school and primary age children and their carers meets on the **3rd Wednesday** of each **month**.
Join us for a Bible story and related craft activities followed by a simple meal. The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 21st June**. All are welcome. For more information, please contact Ann at ann.chappell@barhillchurch.org.uk.

FOR SALE

Adult folding bike in good working order but old offers around **£10.**
Tel: **01954 781757**

— CAMBRIDGESHIRE AGE UK —
VOLUNTEERS NEEDED IN YOUR AREA

Have you spoken to anyone today? How would you feel if the answer today, tomorrow and the next day was no-one?
The Age-UK visiting scheme enables people in later life living near you to say "Yes – I had a visitor today".
Just one hour a week of your time will help ease social isolation and loneliness.
To become one of our valued volunteer visitors, contact our helpline on **0300 666 9860.**

TEA TIME WORSHIP

For pre- and primary age children and their families.
A new fun and noisy service, with songs, stories, puppets, prayers and activities.
Sunday 4th June from 5–6pm.
Bring a picnic to eat together afterwards.

FOR MORE INFORMATION about any of these and other activities for children and/or young people, please contact Ann at ann.chappell@barhillchurch.org.uk.

— HOLIDAY CLUB —

Monday 24th – Friday 28th July
at **Bar Hill Church** from **9.30am–1.00pm**

The Holiday Club looks at Bible stories in a fun way through drama, games, craft, teaching and lots more and is open to all Primary School Age children at a cost of £28 per child *(this works out at £5.60 per day)*, £25 for second sibling and £20 for subsequent siblings.
This includes • *entrance to the club* • *a holiday club T-shirt* • *Wednesday afternoon trip* • *a family tea at 5:45pm on Wednesday* • *refreshments during the week* • *a group photo* •
Please contact Claire on: cypadmin@barhillchurch.org.uk or **01954 781527** to get a booking form.

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF OUR LADY AND THE ENGLISH MARTYRS

The Catholic Church serving Bar Hill
Hills Road, Cambridge

Parish Priest:	**Rt. Rev. Mgr Eugene Canon Harkness** Tel: **01223 350787**
Local contact:	**Bunty Waters** Tel: **01954 201421**
Mon., Weds., Thurs., Friday	8am & 12.15pm
Tuesday	8am & 7.30pm
Saturday	6pm: First Mass of Sundays

Masses in the Parish Church in Cambridge; also 5pm at Cambourne and **6pm at The Octagon, Bar Hill.**

Holydays of Obligation	8am, 10am, 7.30pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation	
Tuesday	6.45pm (not after Mass)
Saturday	10.30–11.15am, 4.30–5.15pm, 7.00–7.45pm

Details of other services are published in a weekly newsletter available at the 6pm Mass each Saturday. Copies are also available in the Church Centre.

Home Visits
I am happy to bring communion to house bound Catholics. I also visit people at the end of their lives, of any religion or none, who would welcome support or are distressed spiritually.
Contact Jean: **07841 397338**, Catholic Eucharistic Minister. Associate Member of the Hospice Chaplaincy Team.

...did you know...
Salt is mentioned more than 30 times in the Bible?

— BAR HILL VILLAGE HALL —

- Conference Facilities;
- Seminars;
- Committee/Meeting Room;
- Training Days;
- Exam Sessions;
- Wedding Receptions;
- Birthday Celebrations;
- Anniversary Celebrations;
- Charity Events;
- Children's Parties;
- Jumble Sales.
- Kitchen Facilities.
- Excellent Parking and Catering Facilities.

During the week we have the following groups and clubs:

Mon.	Helene Taylor-Todd School of Dance *(school term time only)*	4–6pm
Mon.	Craig Burns Bootcamp	6.15–7.15pm
Mon.	Martial Arts	7.30–9pm
Tues.	Shotokan Karate	6–8pm
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Wed.	Danielle Fitness Classes Zumba & Pilates	7–9pm
Thur.	Pilates *(school term time only)*	10–11am
Thur.	Weightwatchers	7–7.50pm
Fri.	Baby Sensory	10.30–12.30pm
Fri.	Martial Arts	7.30–9pm
Sun.	Bingo *(doors open 7pm)* Cash prizes	7.30–9pm

If you wish to book any of these facilities, or get more information, please call **01954 782414** and leave a clear message. We'll call back within 24 hours (Monday to Friday); or e-mail barhill.villagehall@btconnect.com

— STORYTIME —

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Phone calls re: test results will only be accepted after 2pm.
Free NHS health checks – if you are between 40 and 74 years old and have not had a health check in the last five years, please contact the surgery to book an appointment.
Shingles vaccinations – this is now offered routinely to people aged 70. Please phone the surgery for more details.
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Please note we no longer accept repeat medication requests from community or online pharmacies or appliance contractors. Patients or carers must request their own medication and advise us of their chosen pharmacy.
Goodbye to Health Care Assistant and Administrator Lizzie Simpson, who left us in May to pursue her interest in end of life care. She will be sadly missed.
The Maple Surgery Team

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— BOX2 BEAT CANCER —

On the afternoon of Saturday 25th March, 20 members of the **JH Fitness Academy** gym in Bar Hill committed to a **three hour Boxercise class** to raise money for Ovarian Cancer Action.
Everyone that attended donated £15 to the charity and also raised money from sponsorship. It was a great day for the gym – everyone that took part worked very hard to burn a lot of calories. As you can imagine after the event the participants needed plenty of rest!
This is now an annual event, set up by Boxercise Ltd, and known as the **Box2 Beat Cancer** event. With events going on all over the country we are part of the £33,000 (to date) that has been raised. JH Fitness Academy raised £1,082.14.
If anyone wishes to donate, the Just Giving page is still open at: www.justgiving.com/fundraising/JHFitnessAcademy.
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Carers support meetings – next meetings at Willingham: 7th June & 5th July, 2–4pm. Do come along for free support and advice.

Cambridgeshire hearing clinics – next clinics at Willingham: 21st June, 19th July & 16th August, 2–4pm. No appointment necessary. Do call in for free NHS hearing aid batteries, and help and advice regarding hearing loss.

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Meet at the reserve entrance. Parking is in Houghton (PE28 2BQ) or at Burgess Hall (PE27 6WU). GR TL 293717.

During July we are pleased to offer two very different walks.

Saturday 8th July at 10.30am: Woodwalton Fen, a refuge for thousands of species of fen animals and plants in its reed beds, meres, woodlands and meadows. Species of particular note are the Tansy Beetle, Elephant Hawk Moth and the very rare Marsh Carpet Moth.

Meet at the reserve entrance by Jacksons Bridge at the end of Heights Drove Road, Ramsey Heights, where there is limited parking. More parking available at the Countryside Centre (PE26 2RS). GR TL235849.

Friday 21st July at 10pm: a very different experience at the 900 year-old **Brampton Wood**, Cambridgeshire's second largest woodland, which is managed to encourage species diversity. This walk concentrates on night time creatures, such as bats, moths and glow worms.

Meet at Brampton Wood Car Park, Grafham Road, Brampton. GR TL 184698. **Please bring a torch.**

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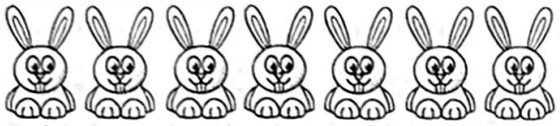

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Cottenham II were next up and it was another memorable match for Sam. He took three more wickets as Cottenham were bowled out for 175 and then hit six more sixes in an innings of 75. Adam Dean made 61 not out as Bar Hill again won for the loss of two wickets.

Two pre-season friendly matches were both narrowly lost. Against Longstowe, Sam Wilson took four wickets and Chris Howse scored 30 in a three-run defeat, while against Girton, Tom Yewbrey made 63 and Dave Underhay took three wickets.

By the time you read this, the midweek matches will also be up and running. All the latest news and fixtures are on our website at www.barhillcricket.org.uk.

Our youth training sessions are also going well on the village green **every Wednesday** from **6pm**. Remember, our fees for the season are only £15 per child for the whole summer, with equipment provided and sessions led by our qualified coaches. We cater for all ages and experience levels.

For the latest news and all other information about the club, or if you are interested in joining or volunteering for the club, visit the website or call the number below.

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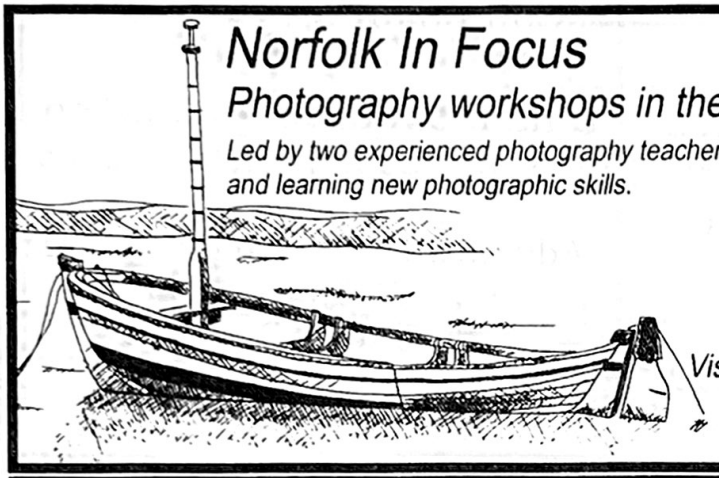

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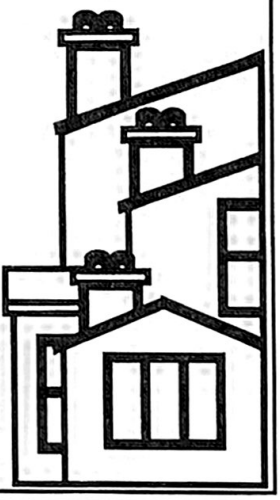

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— COUNCILLOR NOTES —

The new **Chief Executive** for South Cambridgeshire District Council (SCDC), Beverly Agass, will start on Monday 3rd July.

City Deal Update – *a new travel app* will begin next month in city only. Developed by the University, it is very cheap and will be able to inform users of the position of the bus they wish to catch. It could be extended to provide information concerning floods, clean air and vermin control. An SCDC app will follow.

A *rural travel hubs project* will link our largest villages directly to the city by bus. Kirsty Human has been appointed Project Officer, and has begun with the project initiation document.

Greenways for cyclists: Cambridge is a hub and greenways are the spokes linking the large villages to the city. They will follow field edges where necessary. Links between the large villages will follow. £480,000 have been set aside for this scheme, and three officers have been seconded for two years.

Repair Café – this is a popular enterprise run by volunteers who specialise in repairing clothes and broken household items. If you have any tired or broken items needing a new lease of life – from small household appliances, electrical items, computers and mobile phones to bicycles, clothes, gadgets and general bits 'n' bobs – there is a permanent café at: Repair Café Cambridge, Friends Meeting House, 12 Jesus Lane, Cambridge CB5 8BA.

There are also one-off repair cafés in different villages on different dates. Check at: https://repaircafe.org/en/.

Pre-Application Planning Advice – SCDC is urging people to consider using their pre-application service, which can make sure that all planning requirements are considered at the earliest stage. Advice can be found by visiting www.scambs.gov.uk/content/pre-application-advice. The cost can be as little as £175, but could save you thousands.

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— SCOUTS IN BAR HILL —

I have been in Scouting since starting as a Cub Scout, going through the various sections and on to Leader.

Over the years I've taken part in many adventures: sailing, canoeing, gliding, hillwalking etc. One of the most exciting was a cycle ride to the camp site at Great Abington as an eight year old cub. We had an assortment of bikes including with wooden blocks attached to the pedals to counter shortness of leg! We rode across Cambridge and on to the Gog Magog hills which, to us, was a real challenge. The rapid descent at high speed was the most exciting thing most of us had done. Arriving at Great Abington we lit fires, cooked sausages, played games and returned home with another high speed ride down the hill.

This was many years ago, but today's kids still have the same sense of fun and adventure and, given the chance, are eager to take part in similar activities. The Bar Hill Scout Group, with active Beaver, Cub and Scout sections, wants to expand their programme with help from extra instructors and helpers in all three sections. We would welcome assistance from anyone interested in helping local young people get out and about – and away from electronic games for a while.

If you feel you would like to take part or have any questions, please e mail Roger Howard at Rogerpl294@btinternet.com.

— BAR HILL COLTS UNDER 6s —

The under 6 team have had a great year together preparing for their first year in mini soccer next season. We have had a number of friendly matches with some terrific results. However, we are still looking for more children to join us with the possibility of creating another team – with this we would also need the assistance of more parents to help run this team. So if your year 1 child enjoys a kick around and you think you might have a few hours to spare each week, please contact either of the email addresses below. It is such a great feeling knowing you are helping to guide these young children who love nothing more than playing football.

Contact: kevin.houston@hotmail.co.uk;
stephanie.taylor-1990@live.co.uk

Date for your Diary

Bar Hill Colts Annual End of Season Presentation Day will take place on **Saturday 17th June** on the **school green**. There will be lots of fun activities for the children to enjoy, followed by the presentations for each team. The day will end with a match where our under 16 team will play a team comprised of colts managers and coaches – last year the managers won a well fought contest, so the under 16s will be out for revenge this year.

Refreshments will be available and hopefully the weather will be as kind to us as it was last year where children and adults alike enjoyed a great day. Whether you are a parent, grandparent, brother, sister or friend of any of our colts players, please make the day even more special for them by coming along to enjoy the occasion.

— CAMBRIDGE OPEN STUDIOS — 2017 SUMMER DATES

The 2017 dates for this month-long summer art event are: 1–2, 8–9, 15–16 & 22–23 July. They will feature an exciting range of exhibitions by 350 artists at 221 locations in the city and surrounding areas. Many artists will be sharing studios or working in a collective so some locations will contain work from several artists and craftspeople. As usual, the distinctive yellow COS flags will be out to identify participating studios.

Among the specialisms on view will be: fine art, photography, pottery, glass making, sculpture, illustration, textiles, jewellery and furniture making. However not all artists will exhibit every weekend so it's important to check the website or refer to the yellow guide, which will be widely available in libraries, tourist information sites, galleries and selected shops. New for 2017 is an app that will make visit planning even easier. This will be available to download at the end of June for Apple and Android.

In the months leading up to the Open Studio event, many artists will be running workshops, courses and exhibitions. You can keep up to date with their activities via the COS website at www.camopenstudios.co.uk or on Facebook, Twitter (@CamOpenStudios) and Instagram, where you can also follow specific artists.

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The extended outdoor learning environment provides opportunities from growing fruit and vegetables for our snack bar to exploring the mud kitchen, large sand pit and our sensory garden.

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— COUNTY COUNCILLOR REPORT —

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The election also determined that James Palmer will be the first Mayor of the Cambridgeshire & Peterborough Combined Authority. In April it was confirmed that the first tranche of funding was received amounting to £40.5 m. Of more direct local interest perhaps was confirmation that the 2017-18 highways maintenance block has been received. The sum of £1.155 m shown in the Pothole Action Fund for Cambridgeshire County Council is additional to the £2.5 m which the County Council has allocated to address potholes, grass verge maintenance and associated works. I am trying to clarify what this might mean for us locally.

A significant milestone was recently passed for South Cambridgeshire's new town at Northstowe when residents moved into the first completed new homes.

I am very grateful to have four more years to serve the Bar Hill Division. I look forward to receiving your comments and questions about local matters. If you would like to receive a copy of the full report that I write for the division's parish councils each month, please do e-mail and I will add you to its circulation.

Lynda, lyndaharford@icloud.com; **01954 251775;**
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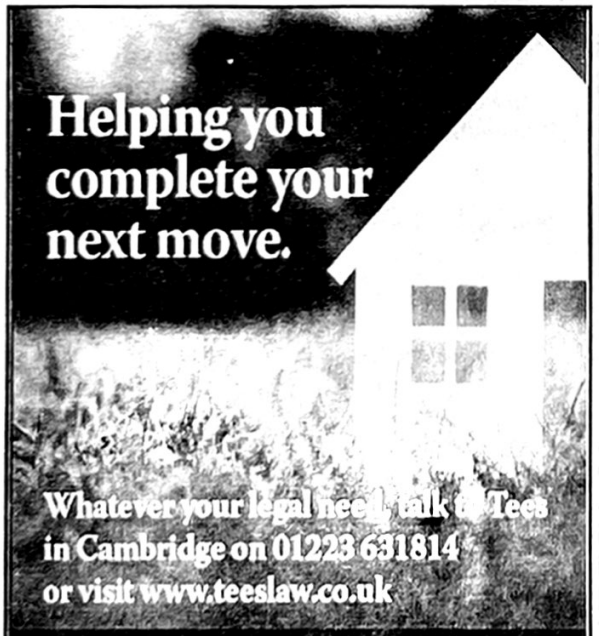

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Our partnerships have continued to grow in the community this term with a commitment from Domino to support our teaching of science over the coming years. These sort of partnerships are vital for the school as we look for ways to manage the severe funding cuts nationally. The community of Bar Hill can help us continue to reach our very high standards regardless of funding cuts by:

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2. Helping us find extra funding – we have just finished building an outdoor learning space with a £12,000 external grant. Our Reception play equipment has been condemned due to age and our play equipment on the main playground is out of action due to the need for repairs. The total cost of this work amounts to £24,000, money we do not have due to a funding cut of 3.5% this year with further cuts of 6% expected by 2020. External grants are an important way we have successfully managed reduction in national funding.

Bar Hill is a very strong community that can do a great deal to help its local school during this time of national funding cuts in education. If you would like to help, please contact Mrs Bacon at finance@barhill.cambs.sch.uk.

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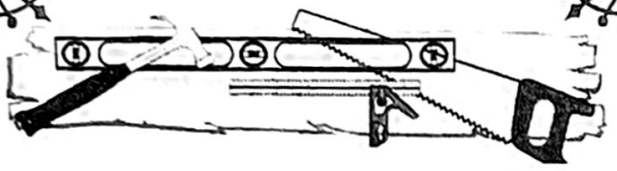

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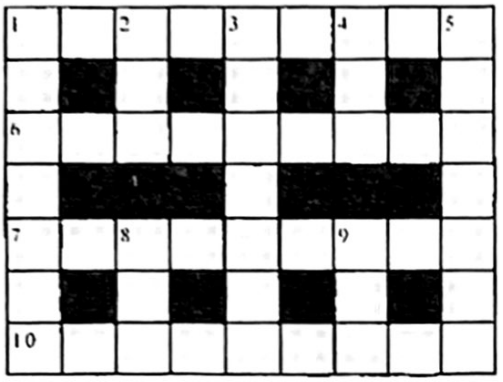
— JUNE CROSSWORD —

Just add vowels:

Across: 1. stblsh, 6. brnstn, 7. dly nd, 10. mbssng.

Down: 1. mbrc, 2. tr, 3. bskrs, 4. c, 5. hng dg, 8. db, 9. L.



Solution for May

Across: 1. Snow White, 6. abolished, 7. in fashion, 10. geraniums.

Down: 1. staying, 2. Ono, 3. Whitsun, 4. ich, 5. endings, 8. fur, 9. IOU.

— BIN COLLECTION —

25th May	green and blue
Friday 2nd June	black
8th June	green and blue
15th June	black
22nd June	green and blue
29th June	black
6th July	green and blue
13th July	black
20th July	green and blue
27th July	black
3rd August	green and blue

— THE ALLOTMENT SOCIETY —

Anyone interested in renting space to grow their own produce can be put on our waiting list for membership. Please contact Rob Lawrence, plot allocator, on 07788 590348.

All other allotment matters should be addressed to: barhillallotment@gmail.com.

— USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS —

Out of Hours Medical Emergencies		111
Police Non-Emergency		101
Allotment Society	*Rob Lawrence*	07788 590348
Bar Hill Church	*Minister: Charles Mather*	01954 277119
	Church office	01954 206120
Bar Hill School		01954 273305
Bar Hill Community Car Scheme		07496 465330
Bar Hill Cricket Club	*Paul Stimpson*	01954 201212
Bar Hill Sports & Social Club		01954 781881
Cambridge Fire & Rescue Service Helpline		0800 917 9994
Coffee Stop, Knit & Natter, Holiday@Home	*Sue Kenchington*	01954 780260
Community Market	*Karen Austen*	01954 781085
Conservative Party	*Iris Lay*	01954 205265
County Councillor	*Lynda Harford*	01954 251775
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Library – renewals & enquiries		0345 0455225
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	Over	01954 231550
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	Swavesey	01954 230202
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	Willingham	01954 260230
	Willingham & Longstanton Dispensary	01954 207600
Neighbourhood Watch	*Pam Vendy*	01954 201001
Over Day Centre	*Sarah Peck, Manager*	01954 231807
Parish Council Office	*Sue Bell, Parish Clerk*	01954 780456
Post Office		01954 789285
Pre-School		01954 782892
Royal British Legion, Health & Wellbeing at Tesco	*Wendy Arrowsmith*	01954 781381
Samaritans		01223 364455
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— JUNE PUZZLE —

Form nine, nine letter words relating to economics in groups of three letters, in alphabetical order.

A	R	K	I	T	Y	N	C	E
B	I	L	I	T	Y	N	C	H
C	O	M	I	T	Y	O	L	I
D	E	M	L	I	A	O	L	Y
D	L	E	L	I	O	P	O	R
F	R	A	L	I	Q	T	F	O
G	O	P	M	A	N	T	R	A
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Solution for May: AFTERNOON, CHILDHOOD, CONTINUAL, ERSTWHILE, HONEYMOON, LONGEVITY, MIDSUMMER, TEMPORIZE, WHEREFORE.

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RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Interested persons are always welcome at Residents' Association meetings.

They are usually held on the first Tuesday of the month at 8pm in the Parish Council office. **Next meeting: A.G.M. 6th June.**

— EVENTS CALENDAR —

date	*event*	*where*	*time*
29 May	NO Happy Hours	Octagon	11am–3pm
1–31 May	50th Anniversary display at the Library *(page 26)*		
31 May–3 June	Over Players' My Fair Lady *(page 22)*	Over Day Centre	2.30pm & 7.30pm
1 June	8 O'clock Club *(page 3)*	Bar Hill School	8pm
3 June	Community Market *(page 3)*	Octagon	10.30am–2pm
5 June	Happy Hours – Jubilee Open Day *(page 3)*	Octagon	11am–3pm
6 June	Residents' Association A.G.M. *(page 3)*	PC Office	8pm
7 June	Police & Crime Commissioner Surgery *(page 15)*	Cambridge	10am–12noon
8 June	NWR – History of Tea and Coffee *(page 3)*		8pm
8 June	Bar Hill Preschool E.G.M. *(page 4)*	Preschool, Village Hall	8pm
9 June	PTA Fun Day on the school green *(page 8)*		from 3pm
10 June	Storytime *(page 8)*	Library	10.30am
10 June	Mum2Mum nearly new sale *(page 26)*	Village Hall	10am–12noon
10 June	Cricket home game v. Willingham *(page 16)*	Village Green	
10 June	Huntingdonshire Wildlife Trust *(page 15)*	Houghton Meadows	2.30pm
12 June	Happy Hours – Play Your Cards Right *(page 3)*	Octagon	11am–3pm
13 June	Cricket home game v. Bluntisham *(page 16)*	Village Green	6pm
14–17 June	'Princess Ida' *(page 4)*	Downing Farm	2.30pm & 7.30pm
17 June	Cricket home game v. Over II *(page 16)*	Village Green	1.30pm
17 June	Rosie at Chesterton Festival *(page 26)*	Recreation Ground	1–5pm
19 June	Happy Hours – 60s Theme Party *(page 3)*	Octagon	11am–3pm
19 June	Bar Hill Football Club Presentation Evening *(page 16)*	BHSSC	
22 June	NWR – History of Tea and Coffee *(page 3)*		8pm
24 June	Storytime *(page 8)*	Library	10.30am
24 June	Cricket home game v. Longstanton II *(page 16)*	Village Green	1.30pm
26 June	Happy Hours – Antiques of the Future *(page 3)*	Octagon	11am–3pm
26 June	An exciting new quiz *(page 16)*	BHSSC	from 7.30pm
27 June	Cricket home game v. Dobblers *(page 16)*	Village Green	6pm
27 June	Bar Hill Book Club *(page 3)*	The Fox	7.30pm
1 July	**THE BAR HILL GOLDEN JUBILEE FETE** *(page 1)*		1200–late
1 July	Community Market *(page 3)*	Octagon	10.30am–2pm
1 July	Rosie at Bar Hill Jubilee Fete *(page 26)*	Village Green	1–5pm

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— PUBLIC NOTICE —
BAR HILL PARISH COUNCIL
PROPOSAL TO DISPOSE OF LAND
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(Under Power Local Government Act 1972, Section 127)

Bar Hill Parish Council has been approached by a commercial company to sell land off Saxon Way, between the rear of Yodel and the sewage pumping station. Sale of this land, if agreed after consulting, would release funds for future village capital expenditure.

A copy of the plan showing land proposed for disposal is available for inspection between 5th June and 23rd June 2017, subject to appointment with the Clerk (T: 01954 780456).

Any views on the proposal should be made in writing and addressed to **Mrs S Bell, Clerk to Bar Hill Parish Council, The Parish Council Office, Hanover Close, Bar Hill CB23 8EH** to be received by **30th June 2017**. Any submissions received will be considered by Bar Hill Parish Council at the Full Council meeting on 20th July 2017.

S J Bell, Clerk to Bar Hill Parish Council
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